



Service, Science, Sustainability

Under the leadership of the Commissioner of Public Lands, our work at the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) is done with the public's interest in mind, which means transparency and public knowledge. Our decisions are guided by sound science as we manage state trust lands, native ecosystems and natural resources. We support the vision of a sustainable future by protecting and managing the natural resources so future generations will have them.

DNR manages over 5 million acres of state-owned land that includes forest, range, commercial, agricultural and aquatic lands. We generate revenue that supports public schools, state institutions and county services. But managing lands is only half of our story. We also protect other public resources such as fish, wildlife, water, and provide public access to outdoor recreation. Two of our largest and most important state-wide resource protection responsibilities are fire prevention and suppression, and overseeing forest practices.

The DNR operates with a biennial budget of approximately \$400 million and has over 1300 employees.

We have some of the most talented people in the industry. We honor diversity in the workplace and support one another with respect and trust. We invite you to learn more about our culture, our careers, and why some of the top forestry and natural science professionals have joined Washington DNR by visiting our [DNR website](#).

Forest Engineering Intern

Recruitment # 2011-11-9281

DNR Engineering Division is seeking qualified candidates to fill up to six summer internship positions. These positions are designed to give students majoring in Forest Engineering, Forest Products, Forest Operations, Civil Engineering, or related fields basic work experience in road location and design, hydraulic survey and design, and timber sale layout.

JOB CLASSIFICATION: DNR Intern

Up to six available positions

SALARY RANGE:

Sophomore and under: \$1813 per month
Junior: \$2003 per month
Senior: \$2376 per month
Graduate student: up to \$2876 per month

LOCATION:

Battle Ground, WA
Forks, WA
Longview, WA
Other locations may become available at a later date.

CLOSES:

January 27, 2012
Flexible start date with minimum 3 month duration.

POSITION PROFILE:

Assist the region engineering staff in a variety of duties that may include:

- Road location survey and design.
- Timber sale reconnaissance.
- Timber sale layout.
- Bridge and culvert site survey.
- Road inventory.
- Contract compliance.
- GIS and GPS mapping techniques.

Actual job duties will vary by location.

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS:

Applicants must be a full-time student (12+ credits) majoring in Forest Engineering, Forest Products, Forest Operations, Civil Engineering, or related fields and will be returning to school in a following quarter/semester.

Note: Students graduating in or before June 2012 do not qualify for the Natural Resource Engineer Intern position (please call or email for information on permanent employment opportunities).

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATIONS:

Desired course work includes:

- Low volume road design.
- General surveying.
- Timber harvesting or harvest operations.

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- Computer aided drafting (e.g. AutoCAD).
- Hydrology or fluid dynamics.
- Soil mechanics.
- Microsoft office products.

Candidates should have an interest in natural resources or industrial forestry, and have work or recreational experience driving on logging roads.

SPECIAL POSITION REQUIREMENTS AND WORKING CONDITIONS:

- Ability to work on uneven terrain in all weather conditions.
- Must have a valid driver's license and have two years of driving experience.
- Must be at least 18 years of age at the time of hire.
- Occasional travel outside of the assigned area may be required.

WHO MAY APPLY:

This recruitment is open to anyone who meets the required qualifications for this position.

APPLICATION PROCESS:

To be considered for this position, please submit:

- A letter of interest, no more than two pages in length, describing how your experience and qualifications relate to the position profile, required and desired position qualifications, and special position requirements. Please state in your letter of interest what you would like to gain from this internship and your desired location.
- A completed application – [DNR Job Application](#).
- A resume.
- An unofficial copy of your transcript.
- An online **voluntary** [Applicant Profile Questionnaire](#). *(This form is not required and is submitted online. Please do **not** print out and send in with application materials).*
- Finalists will be asked to provide an employment/commercial driving record issued from the state in which you are currently licensed.

The first screening will be based on information contained in your candidate materials.

Submit all materials by the closing date to:

Electronic method preferred
candace.montoya@dnr.wa.gov

OR other method
Candace Montoya
DNR Engineering Division
PO Box 47030
Olympia, WA 98504-7030

NOTE: Please indicate # 2011-11-9281 in the subject line of your e-mail.
By submitting the application materials you are indicating that all information is true and correct to the best of your knowledge. You understand that the state may verify information and that untruthful or misleading information is cause for removal from applicant pool or dismissal if employed.

Questions? Please contact Candace Montoya at candace.montoya@dnr.wa.gov or by phone (360) 902-1212.